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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

The following is the applicant's updated response to the Office Action mailed 01/31/2003 resulting from a brief telephone conversation with the examiner on June 3, 2003 regarding procedural matter. This supersedes the previous response sent April 30, 2003.

The Statement of the Substance of the Interview is attached and hereby filed.

Since the amendments in the text comprise additions of whole sentences and the amendments to the claims comprise cancellation of all claims of record and substitution of a new group of claims, the page captioned Version with markings to show changes made is obviated.

Please amend the above application as follows:

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Title Amendment

In the Title:

Please change the title to: Picking Rake with Dual Handles and Dual Rake Heads for Gathering

and Picking Material

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Conclusion, Ramifications and Scope of Invention Amendment

In the Conclusion, Ramifications and Scope of Invention:

Please append the following sentence after the last sentence:

The terms "right" and "left" are used simply to differentiate between the two rake units and should not be construed to mean only the right side and the left side components. The components may be superimposed or rearranged, for instance, to accommodate left-handed users as well.